

REMARKS

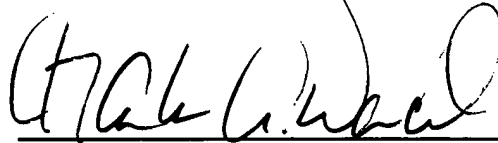
Claims 11 to 14, non-elected or withdrawn in the parent case, are presented for examination here.

An Information Disclosure Statement listing the references cited in the parent case is filed herewith.

An early examination of claims 11 to 14 is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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